

Notice to Navigation Interests

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EMERGENCY STONE BANK STABILIZATION

BIG SANDYRIVER, MILE 3.9

Notice is given that on or about 9 February 2005, Madison Coal and Supply Company, contractor for Marathon Ashland Petroleum LLC., will begin emergency stone bank stabilization work along the left descending bank of the Big Sandy River, mile 3.9. During this work, material will be dredged from the work site and disposed in an approved upland disposal area at O- KAN harbor, along the right descending bank of the Ohio River, mile 267.0.

The contractor's floating plant will consist of the M/V MAJOR, one barge mounted crane, and five material barges. The M/V MAJOR will be monitoring marine channels 13 and 16. Work will be performed between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Saturday, and it is anticipated that the work will be completed on or about 30 March 2005.

During non-working hours, the floating plant will be moored at the work site and lighted according to regulations.

Mariners are urged to use extreme caution in the area.

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